**Left pane**
Contains links to the user account and power options

**App list**
Lists programs on the computer. Also contains folders with submenus of more programs.

**Tiles pane**
Displays graphic shortcuts to favorite programs – totally configurable by the user

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**Search Windows Box**
Searches for apps by name. Can also be used to search the files on your computer and the internet.

**Start button**
Clicking on this will open the Start Menu.

**Tiles**
Graphic shortcuts to favorite or frequently used programs. The computer user adds the programs to the Tiles pane by dragging from the Apps list. The user also creates the section headings for the various groupings of computer programs.

Focusing the mouse pointer on a tile reveals the name of the program in a screen tip.

**Expand button**
Expands the left pane so icon labels can be seen

**Note:** Tapping the Windows logo key on a keyboard will also open the Start Menu.